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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, PINT, VS

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY AMNESTY OF PRISONERS

1. THE GVN ANNOUNCED OCTOBER 30 THAT IT WOULD RELEASE 725
CIVILIAN PRISONERS ON THE OCCASION OF THE NOVEMBER 1 NATIONAL DAY,
CONTINUING THE CUSTOM OF AMNESTIES ON MAJOR HOLIDAYS. THE MINISTRY
OF INTERIOR HAS GIVEN US THE FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN OF THESE RELEASES:

COMMON CINALS:	76
COMMUNIST OFFENDERS:	649

TOTAL	725

IN ADDITION, 97 OTHER COMMON CRIMINALS WERE GRANTED REDUCTIONS IN
THEIR SENTENCES.

2. ACCORDING TO THE MINISTRY, NO PROMINENT PRISONERS (TRAN NGOC
CHAU, HUYNH TAN MAM, ETC.) ARE AMONG THOSE RELEASED.
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